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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL REJECTION**  
**PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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Sir:

This Amendment and Response is to the Final Office Action dated November 14, 2005. Please amend the above-captioned patent application as provided below. This amendment and response is timely filed within the three-month deadline for response, and is being filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination.

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